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This guide discusses the use of the World Wide Web for library reference service. Part 1, "Ready Reference on the Web: Resources for Patrons," contains chapters on searching and meta-searching the Internet, using the Web to find people, news on the Internet, quality reference resources on the Web, Internet sites for kids, free full-text resources, health and medical information online, minding your money on the Web, and cyber-shopping. Part 2, "The Librarian as Information Technician: Working with the Medium and the Machines," includes chapters on managing Web-based e-mail, tips for teaching the Internet, making and maintaining do-it-yourself Web pages, making the Web accessible to the disabled, computer troubleshooting for librarians, and keeping up with changes on the Web. Includes an index. (MES)

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